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Two Members of Irish Parliament Shot on Way to Session

TWO MEMBERS OF DAIL SHOT ON WAY TO SESSION; HAD JUST TAKEN OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

Deputies Had Just Left Hotel for Session When Fired Upon—Guard Returns Fire—Insurgents Capture Barracks, Kill One, Wound 15, Capture 90, Later Released.

DUBLIN, Dec. 7. (Associated Press).—President Cosgrave announced to the Parliament this afternoon that Deputy Sean Hales had been shot and killed and Deputy Patrick O'Malley, who was Deputy Speaker, had been wounded while they were on their way to the Parliament session.

The two victims of the shooting were on a jaunting car proceeding along the quays when they were attacked with revolvers.

Deputy Speaker O'Malley's wound is serious.

The deputies were attacked just as they were leaving the Ormond Hotel for Parliament. A lorry load of British soldiers, arriving on the scene, opened fire on the deputies' assassins, who were scattered and pursued. It is not known whether any of the attacking party were injured.

When the shooting began, Hales and O'Malley entered a car, ordering the driver to move on, which he did, taking them to the Jervis Street Hospital. Hales died almost at the moment of entering the hospital.

Deputy O'Malley, who holds the rank of Brigadier General in the Free State Army, was wounded in the head and one arm. He has a brother who is a strong Republican.

After President Cosgrave's announcement Minister of Defense Mulcahy rose and said:

"These men did not have a private, nor were they asked if they would see their relatives."

All the members of the Parliament rose as a mark of sympathy.

These are the first acts of violence reported during the inauguration of the Free State Government.

O'Malley was elected Deputy Speaker of the Dail, or lower house of the Free State Parliament, at yesterday's session, when the members took their oath of allegiance.

Hales was returned from South Cork in the last Parliamentary elections, running as a pro-treaty candidate on the panel ticket framed by the opposing factions.

CORK, Dec. 7. (Associated Press).—A powerful bomb was thrown at a military car this afternoon. The missile did not reach its mark but exploded nearby, wounding two men and two women. The bomb thrower escaped.

Two hundred rebels captured the barracks at Ballymacnarea, near Macroom, yesterday, killing one man and wounding fifteen. The attack took place at almost the same time that the deputies of the new Irish Free State were being sworn in at Dublin.

The rebels took thirty prisoners, including Commandant Mooney, after a fight lasting several hours, but released them after taking all their equipment.

The fight was the heaviest yet reported in County Cork. Before advancing on the barracks the insurgents captured an armored car at Bracken which they used, together with.

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CONGRESSIONAL MEDAL FOR 69TH HERO COLONEL

Donovan Cited for Bravery "Above and Beyond Call of Duty."

Col. William J. Donovan, who commanded the 165th United States Infantry (the old 69th) during the war, and who was the Republican candidate for Lieutenant Governor at the last election, has been awarded the Congressional Medal of Honor for conspicuous bravery in the war "above and beyond the call of duty." Announcement of the award was made by the War Department.

The presentation of the medal will take place at the 69th Regiment Armory at a date to be decided later. Maj. Gen. Robert Lee Bullard, who, in all probability, will make the presentation, Col. Donovan also holds the Distinguished Service Medal, Legion of Honor, Croix de Guerre with palm, gold and silver star, Italian War Cross and Belgium War Cross.

POLICE MYSTIFIED AS MRS. PHILLIPS ELUDES PURSUIT

Suggestion Made She May Be Hiding Nearby, Disguised as Man.

"SEEN" IN MANY PLACES

No Actual Trace Found Since She Broke Jail Tuesday Morning.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Dec. 7.—Reports that Mrs. Clara Phillips, Los Angeles hammer slayer, had been seen in Tia Juana, Mexico, yesterday, and that there was a possibility that she had taken refuge in a cabin believed to be owned by Ed. T. (Gold Tooth) Johnson, near Point of Rocks, on the ocean, proved false to-day after investigation by Sheriff William Traeger of Los Angeles, and posse.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 7.—The failure of the Sheriff's posse to locate Mrs. Clara Phillips, escaped slayer of Mrs. Albertus Meadows, at the point of "Gold Tooth" Johnson, near Tia Juana, left the authorities without a single clue to follow.

The possibility was then presented to the authorities that Mrs. Phillips had slipped out of her woman's garments and put on the clothing of a boy. With her hair cut short a woman of her face and figure, especially if her face were disguised like that of an automobile mechanic, could move freely in any community in which she was not intimately known. She could cross into Mexico and live indefinitely among Americans of a type not inclined to be curious about each other's past life.

The Sheriff's office announced early to-day it had received a telegram from Sheriff Pinrock at Ogden, Utah, stating he was positive Mrs. Phillips was aboard a train which passed through Ogden shortly after midnight.

That train and one other were searched at Laramie, Wyo., but no one answering the description of Mrs. Phillips was found. The Laramie police who made the search also questioned members of the train crew without learning anything of Mrs. Phillips's whereabouts.

It had been reported from other sources also that she and a "blond" friend boarded the train at Long Beach, Cal., and throughout the trip had kept to their stateroom. It also was declared the women were traveling on tickets reading from Long Beach, Cal., to Baltimore, Md.

Other reports reaching the Sheriff's office came from Omaha, where it was said police officers believed Mrs. Phillips had been seen last night on a train bound for Chicago, but it was said this was impossible "unless she had fled in an airplane."

With the hour of her escape tentatively fixed at about 2 o'clock Tuesday morning, the local officers explained they found it hard to believe she could have reached Omaha by Wednesday night.

The search had widened to-day until it embraced nearly every part of the country.

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TURKS ANNOUNCE ALL CONSULATES OF "ENEMY POWERS" MUST GET OUT

Meaning of Action Not Clear, as Allies Are Technically at War With Them.

ANGORA, Dec. 7. (Associated Press).—The Turkish Nationalist Government, it was announced to-day, has decided that it cannot accept the continuance in Turkey of the Consulates or Post Offices of any power at war with Turkey.

It is not clear to whom the action of Turkey applies. Greece is still at war with Turkey and technically the Entente powers are still in a state of war with the Turkish Government.

A treaty making peace between Turkey and the Entente was signed at Sevres in 1920, but it has never been ratified. The present Lausanne Conference was called primarily to make peace between Turkey and Greece and Turkey and the Allied Powers.

The United States never declared war upon Turkey.

SEVEN SHOTS FIRED IN FIGHT OF POLICE WITH ROBBERS IN 59TH ST. JEWELRY HOLD-UP

Bullets Fly in Crowded Street After Highwayman Shoots Storekeeper.

ESCAPE OVER ROOFS.

Shot Goes Through Sergeant's Overcoat as Three Robbers Flee.

West 59th Street along the front of Roosevelt Hospital rang with pistol shots at 9:45 o'clock this morning in an effort to stop highwaymen who had shot Benjamin Bernstein, a jeweler at No. 493 West 59th Street, two doors from Ninth Avenue. The street was crowded and though seven shots were fired the only bullet which found a mark was one which went sideways through the pocket of the overcoat of Sgt. Richard O'Flaherty, ripping through his memorandum book.

The shooting of the jeweler, whose home is at No. 1292 55th Street, Brooklyn, was apparently unintentional. Two young men, dressed in tan overcoats and pearl gray soft hats, entered the store and pointed through a case at some cheap jewelry they wished to examine. As the jeweler stooped over the case, an automatic pistol was thrust against his breast and one of the men, both of whom were nervous, slinky-voiced and wild-eyed, said to him, "Get back there and put up your hands."

At the same moment the weapon was discharged. Bernstein, who was struck a glancing wound across the abdomen, fell backwards yelling "Police!" at the top of his voice.

The two men, apparently frightened by the shot, ran out of the store and made for a taxicab which was standing at the curb. Other vehicles had moved up in front and behind it.

Vito Morra, a barber from the garage at the corner, ran to the door of the cab and opened it, but fell back when a revolver was thrust in his face.

Three men jumped out and separated, one going west and another east, running recklessly through the busy traffic of Ninth Avenue. The third was not traced.

Sgt. O'Flaherty came up the avenue on the run and a score of persons pointed out a yellow-coated man making toward the Hudson, looking back over his shoulder. O'Flaherty reached for his pistol and the man halted and fired a shot which came within inches of hitting a serious wound. O'Flaherty returned the shot and kept on running.

A neighbor of Bernstein had called a fire and through to disperse the whole looking party. In France, the Scandinavian, replied he would fight any place and at any time.

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BIKE SCORES 85TH HOUR.

Goulet-Belloni 1507 6
Brocco-Coburn 1507 6
Egg-Eaton 1507 5
Grenda-Mammaro 1507 4
Madden-Kaiser 1507 4
Heron-Fitzsimmons 1507 4
Grimm-Gastman 1507 4
McBeath-Rutt 1507 3
Taylor-Lands 1507 3
Kopsky-Azzini 1507 3
Hill-Verra 1507 3
Spello-Gaffney 1507 3
Bellesse-Eyckman 1507 2
Grenda-Gay 1507 2
Leader-Goulet 1507 2

CRUSHED TO DEATH ON FERRY BOAT.

James Cotter, twenty-nine, No. 2183 Fifth Avenue, a chauffeur for the United States Trucking Corporation, was crushed to death today on the Erie Ferryboat Golden. The boat was about to enter the slip at Chambers Street when Cotter got down from a truck and started to crank it.

The truck started and crushed him against a door—down which

he fell.

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GIRL AWARDED \$465,000 FOR ALIENATION OF HER HUSBAND'S AFFECTIONS



SIKI ACCEPTS OFFER FROM CARPENTIER FOR ANOTHER FIGHT

Georges Says Three Rounds Will Be Enough; Siki, Too Much.

PARIS, Dec. 7. (United Press).—Battling Siki, beta male of Parisian boxingdom, to-day accepted a challenge to meet Georges Carpentier in a return battle for the world's light heavyweight title.

As Siki has been disqualified, the bout could not be staged in the ordinary way, so Georges defied the black to fight privately, exempt of any, to go to charity.

This being conveyed to Siki, who charges the fight in which he won the title from Carpentier was "three" have asked a future bout through to disband the whole looking party. In France, the Scandinavian, replied he would fight any place and at any time.

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MRS. WOODHOUSE AWARDED \$465,000 IN ALIENATION SUIT

Jury Returns Verdict, After 40 Hours, Against Her Husband's Parents.

PLAINTIFF POOR GIRL.

Testified His Family Snubbed Her and Got Him to Go to Reno.

BURLINGTON, Vt., Dec. 7.—An award of \$465,000 was made to-day by the jury which, for more than forty hours, had deliberated over the \$1,000,000 claim of Mrs. Dorrit Stevens Woodhouse against her wealthy parents-at-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo E. Woodhouse of New York and this city for the alienation of the affections of her husband, Douglas Woodhouse.

The plaintiff, daughter of a family in modest circumstances who were neighbors of the wealthy Woodhouses here, contended that her parents-at-law had inspired and supported her husband in a repudiation from her that led to his going to Reno to establish a residence as the basis for a divorce. She had been snubbed by them, she submitted, and never had been given adequate recognition as the wife of their son.

Of the \$465,000 damages awarded, the jury directed that \$400,000 be considered actual damages and \$65,000 as a punitive and exemplary damage award.

A small crowd only was in the courtroom when the verdict was made known. Defense counsel made a motion to have it set aside, but arguments on the motion are not likely until after Christmas.

The award was the largest ever given in an alienation suit in Vermont.

The case had consumed five weeks in hearing.

The jury that returned the verdict was composed largely of farmers. During the long trial, the plaintiff told of her meeting with Douglas Woodhouse, son of the President of the Merchants National Bank of this city, his ardent wooing and their marriage after he had gone to an army camp in 1915.

Her husband's parents, she said, encouraged his attentions to Mrs. Lilian H. McCallan at Washington, D. C., on whom, documentary evidence showed, he showered attentions and

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STRAWBERRIES RIPEN IN JERSEY GARDENS

Blossoms Also in Bloom at Blauvelt, Despite Cold Weather.

BLAUVELT, N. J., Dec. 7.—Gardens in Blauvelt are producing a fresh crop of strawberries, for despite cold weather, their owners believe are getting ready to ripen.

Plants of the ever-bearing variety are still laden with fruit.

Blossoms, peonies and arbutus also are in bloom.

Business Boom Now Under Way Includes Most Basic Industries

Commerce Department Announces October Best Month Since Post-War Prosperity—Distributors Active, Too.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7. A general boom is under way in nearly all industries engaged in the production of basic commodities, the Department of Commerce announced to-day in making public production figures for the month of October.

Output of pig iron, steel, coal, coke, copper, zinc, cement, food, lumber, clothing, North Carolina pig, knit underwear and the consumption of cotton, silk and news print paper were all greater during October than in any month since 1920, when the post-armistice boom was at its height.

Corresponding increases were shown in the activity of all distributive movements. Sales by department stores, china stores and mail order houses, new large merchants and six big chain

HUGE AMOUNT OF HARD COAL ORDERED RUSHED HERE UNTIL NEED IS FULLY SUPPLIED

Fuel Administrator Spends Issues Notice on Pennsylvania Operators to Divert Output to New York at Once to Make Up Deficiency in Anthracite Quota.

(From a Staff Correspondent of The Evening World.)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Fuel Administrator Conrad E. Spens has called on Judge E. W. Parker, Chairman of the Distribution Committee, to at once issue instructions to the Pennsylvania operators which will make up the deficiency in the anthracite supply for New York City. The shipments of anthracite will be concentrated on New York City until the shortage is relieved.

"The shortage of coal in New York City is in the city's quota or prepared sizes of anthracite," said Fuel Administrator Spens to-day. "New York has been co-operating in the matter of mixing steam coal with prepared sizes, but in order to meet the city's fuel demands, it will be necessary for consumers to do even more of this. There will be only 60 per cent. of last year's production of anthracite owing to the coal strike and it will be necessary to make this go as far as possible."

The figures on file at the Fuel Administrator's office show that there is practically 100 per cent. loading in the anthracite fields and that it is almost wholly a question of producing the coal fast enough to catch up with consumption. The loading of anthracite for November ran 16 per cent. ahead of previous years, and the December figures available show that this average over a similar period last year is being maintained.

The diversion of anthracite to the Lake region is about over for the season, and this, it is stated, will release enough coal to materially help out the Eastern situation. The Federal Fuel Administration received word this morning that a delegation is en route to Washington from Newark to urge an increase in that city's quota of coal for domestic purposes.

TRAIN DRAGS AUTO TWO BLOCKS, LETS DRIVER OUT UNHURT

Max Sandak, Arverne, Loses Wheels and Radiator, but Not His Life.

Max Sandak rode two blocks this morning in an automobile which had no front wheels, no radiator and no steering gear that would work. He does not yet clearly understand how the thing was done, nor does he understand why he isn't dead or in a hospital.

Sandak, a member of the firm of Sandak Brothers, Arverne, L. I., tried to drive an automobile across the Long Island Railroad tracks at 77th Street and Railroad Avenue, Arverne, failing to notice the approach of the 10:20 express until it was too late.

He could not get across and he could not stop. The best he could do was to swerve and try to parallel the train, but he could not quite clear it.

The third rail brush box caught in the front wheel of the automobile and held on, dragging the auto alongside the train for two blocks before the motorman could bring the train to a stop.

All this time Sandak was sitting at the wheel of the auto. His outside front wheel was snapped off as it jolted along the roadside. Then the radiator disappeared, and finally, just as the train came to a grinding halt, the other front wheel of the auto came off.

As the motorman, William H. Fitzgerald of Far Rockaway, ran back to the automobile he saw Sandak climbing slowly out of the wrecked car. Sandak tried his legs and arms and found them unimpaired. He felt him self all over and there wasn't a wound.

"I'll have to walk home," he observed, standing at his car.

DONORS IN PEPPER'S ELECTION TO SENATE GET REFUND OF 10 P. C.

Political Precedents Broken by All-Givers of Over \$100.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 7. Political precedents were broken to-day by the announcement that all contributors of \$100 or more to the campaign fund of Senator George Wharton Pepper would receive a refund of 10 per cent. The entire sum of money contributed not being spent, it was decided to return what was left, thus shattering all political precedents. Money left over after election was usually held for the next campaign.

Col. Robert E. Glendening, a banker, was treasurer of the fund.

More than 125 complaints from coalless homes came to the office of Deputy Administrator Elitz, in charge of distribution in Manhattan, eighteen of them being reported by the Health Department to be emergency cases because of illness in the families.

In order that the east side districts may be taken care of, Herman Morris, Director of the Downtown Chamber of Commerce, was appointed Assistant Administrator for the east side, on recommendation of Harry H.